

21. (NEW) A dispenser comprising a collapsible container for material to be dispensed in a dispensing operation of the dispenser, the container having an uncollapsed condition before the dispensing operation and a partially collapsed condition during the dispensing operation, and a holder for at least partially enclosing the container; wherein the holder includes a resiliently-biased part for engagement with the container to resist collapse of the container, the resiliently-biased part acting via the engagement with the container when the container is partially collapsed during the dispensing operation to return the container to the uncollapsed condition.

22. (NEW) The dispenser according to claim 21, wherein the container has an opening therein, and the resiliently-biased part projects into the opening for engagement with the container as aforesaid.

23. (NEW) The dispenser according to claim 21, wherein the container has an external shoulder, and the holder has one or more projections for abutment with the shoulder in retaining the container within the holder.

24. (NEW) The dispenser according to claim 21, wherein the holder carries a hand-operable pump for drawing off the material contained by the container.

25. (NEW) A hand-squeezable dispenser comprising a compressible container for material to be dispensed, the container having an uncompressed condition and being compressible from the uncompressed condition for dispensing the material therefrom, and a holder for at least partially enclosing the compressible container, wherein the holder includes a hand-squeezable part having a resilient bias for opposing squeezing by hand, the hand-squeezable part in response to the squeezing by hand compressing the container from its uncompressed condition in opposition to the resilient bias, and the hand-squeezable part engages with the container to return the container

towards its uncompressed condition under the action of the resilient bias when the squeezing by hand is relaxed.

26. (NEW) The dispenser according to claim 25, wherein the container has an external pocket-part, and the resiliently-biased part extends into the pocket-part for engagement with the container as aforesaid.

27. (NEW) The dispenser according to claim 25, wherein the holder includes a resiliently-biased limb, and the limb has a slide that is operable selectively for extension into or retraction from engagement as aforesaid with the container.

28. (NEW) The dispenser according to claim 27 wherein the limb is one of two resiliently-biased limbs of the holder which extend either side of the container.

29. (NEW) The dispenser according to claim 28, wherein both limbs engage the container as aforesaid.

30. (NEW) The dispenser according to claim 29, wherein both limbs engage in respective pocket-parts of the container.

31. (NEW) The dispenser according to claim 28, wherein each limb has a ridge-projection for abutment with a respective shoulder-part of the container in retaining the container within the holder.

32. (NEW) The dispenser according to claim 21, wherein the container has a dispensing outlet for the material, and the holder includes a movable member that is selectively movable between a first condition in which it is clear of the dispensing outlet of the container and a second condition in which it is engaged with the dispensing outlet of the container, and wherein the dispenser includes an interlock between the resiliently-biased part and the movable member to preclude movement of the movable member into its second condition while the resiliently-biased part is disengaged from engagement as aforesaid with the container.

33. (NEW) The dispenser according to claim 32, wherein the engagement of the movable member with the outlet is such that the outlet is closed while the movable member is in its second condition.

34. (NEW) A holder for combination with a compressible or otherwise collapsible container of liquid or other dispensable material in providing a dispenser of such material, wherein the holder comprises a body for at least partially enclosing the container inserted therein, and the body has a part which is for engagement with the container and which is resiliently biased to act via this engagement to resist collapse of the container and thereby to the extent the container collapses during dispensing of the liquid or other material, to return it towards its uncollapsed condition.

35. (NEW) The holder according to claim 34, wherein the resiliently-biased part comprises a limb of the holder having a slide that is operable selectively for extension or retraction from the limb.

36. (NEW) The holder according to claim 35, wherein the limb is one of two limbs for straddling and engaging the container.

37. (NEW) The holder according to claim 36, wherein the holder includes a top-section interconnecting the two limbs, and the two limbs are splayed out resiliently from one another either side of the top-section.

38. (NEW) The holder according to claim 37, wherein the top-section has an aperture therein, and a lid for covering the aperture, the lid being selectively movable between an open condition in which it is clear of the aperture and a closed condition in which it covers the aperture, and wherein an interlock between the slide and the lid precludes movement of the lid into its closed condition while the slide is retracted.

39. (NEW) The holder according to claim 37, wherein each limb has a ridge-projection located between the limbs adjacent the top-section.

40. (NEW) The holder according to claim 36, wherein the limbs are substantially-flat plates.